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Fresh optimism about the Republican-led tax cut effort in the United States and positive indicators from global economic data send the stock market rising to new heights. **Business, 4B**

Latvala complaint details 5 incidents
The sexual harassment case against state Sen. Jack Latvala is centered on allegations made by a legislative aide. Rachel Perrin Rogers said that she came forward after watching Latvala allegedly grope a young lobbyist last spring.
• **Doctor avoids jury duty:** Pinellas County Clerk of Courts Ken Burke confirms that he acted on behalf of Latvala. **Local, 1B**

Continuing to do what he loves
Charlie Daniels has been making people happy for decades, not only through his music but also with charity work. **Etc, 2B**

TV star, singer Nabors dies at 87
The man with the operatic voice became an instant success as Gomer Pyle on the *The Andy Griffith Show*. **Nation, 4A**

Bucs players get special delivery
Some 45 players have custom cleats to bring awareness to a charity or organization. **Sports, 1C**

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Continued warmth

 8 a.m. 63°

 Noon 76°

 4 p.m. 77°

 8 p.m. 70°

0% chance of rain
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Itching for something fun to do but don't know what's going on? Worry not. We give you the rundown on local events at tampabay.com/things-to-do.

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Howell Emanuel Donaldson III appears for his first court appearance Thursday via closed-circuit TV at the Hillsborough County Courthouse annex in Tampa. He wore an anti-suicide garment, but sheriff's officials declined to say why.

The man accused of killing four in Seminole Heights appears before a judge. Family members wonder: Will he get death?

BY DAN SULLIVAN AND SARA DINATALE
Times Staff Writers

TAMPA — Howell Emanuel Donaldson III stepped beside his lawyer looking haggard, his wrists clasped in chains, his body wrapped in a green anti-suicide smock. He said nothing as a judge explained via a closed-circuit TV that he faces four counts of first-degree murder.

Miles away in a packed Tampa courtroom, State Attorney Andrew Warren was among those who watched the brief first appearance for the man accused in four shootings that terrorized Tampa's southeast Seminole Heights neighborhood for 51 days.

Many wanted to know: Would Warren seek the death penalty?

At a news conference that followed the hearing, Warren said he might.

"The death penalty should be reserved for the worst of the worst offenders in our society," he said, "and, generally speaking, a serial killer would qualify."

» See DONALDSON, 8A

Saying thanks

Monica Hoffa's family members visit the McDonald's manager whose actions brought them closure. **8A**



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Hillsborough State Attorney Andrew Warren enters the courtroom to greet families of the Seminole Heights victims before Howell Emanuel Donaldson III's court appearance. Warren says he will seek capital punishment in the case if it meets the legal requirements and is consistent with what the families want.

Playwright's misconduct shatters Jobsite Theater

Nine women accuse Israel Horovitz of sexual offenses.

BY ANDREW MEACHAM
Times Performing Arts Critic

Famed playwright Israel Horovitz has been accused of sexual misconduct by nine women, according to a *New York Times* story published Thursday.

Horovitz has ties to Tampa, after forging a close relationship with Jobsite Theater, the resident theater company of the David A. Straz Jr. Center for the Performing Arts. He has written more than 70 plays and created films starring Maggie Smith and Al Pacino. Horovitz was scheduled to come back to Tampa to produce *Man in Snow* in March.

On Thursday, Jobsite leaders decided to cancel that play. The theater will spend the next few weeks finding an alternative production.

The *New York Times* report has accounts from nine women who accuse

Horovitz of offenses ranging from groping to unwanted kissing and fondling to rape. The women described a pattern in which Horovitz had been a mentor and a friend in the theater, but also preyed on them. They were inspired to come forward by the revelations about Harvey Weinstein, Louis C.K. and others.

Horovitz, who split time among New York, Massachusetts and Paris, came to Florida seeking warmth, he told the *Tampa Bay Times* in a 2015 interview. In 2010, he brought his play *Sins of the Mother* to Florida Stage in Manalapan.

He sent an email to Jobsite's producing artistic director, David Jenkins, and started a relationship with the professional theater. Jobsite produced a staged reading of *Sins of the Mother* in 2015. Horovitz spent a week in residence with Jobsite, and did a
» See HOROVITZ, 7A



New York Times

Playwright Israel Horovitz was to produce *Man in Snow* at Tampa's Jobsite Theater, where he had close ties. But that production has now been canceled.

Kelly plan purported to force out Tillerson

Trump reportedly sours on the top diplomat.

New York Times

WASHINGTON — The White House has developed a plan to force out Secretary of State Rex Tillerson, whose relationship with President Donald Trump has been strained, and replace him with Mike Pompeo, the CIA director, perhaps within the next several weeks, senior administration officials told the *New York Times* on Thursday.
Pompeo would be replaced at



Secretary of State Rex Tillerson

the CIA by Sen. Tom Cotton, R-Ark., who has been a key ally of the president on national security matters, according to the White House plan. Cotton has signaled that he would accept the job if offered, said the officials, who insisted on anonymity to discuss sensitive deliberations before decisions are announced.

It was not immediately clear whether Trump had given final approval to the plan developed by John Kelly, the White House chief of staff, but the president has been said to have soured on Tillerson and in general is ready to make a change at the State Department. Tillerson was at the White House on Thursday
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